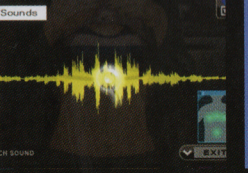
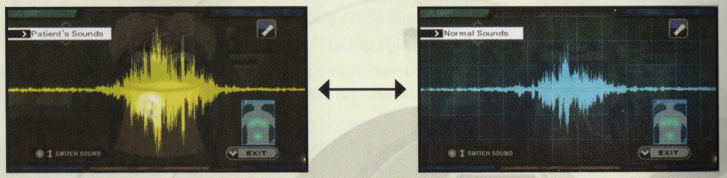


DIAGNOSIS

Gather information from the patient and compare the results with the standard ranges to figure out what ailments the patient is suffering from.

While listening to the patient's body sounds, tilting the Control Stick up/down will switch between the patient's sound and a reference recording made from a healthy person. Check the patient's chest and stomach for areas that make sounds that are different from the reference recordings. The examination locations are the heart, the left and right lungs, and the intestinal area. If you believe you hear an abnormal sound, press the A Button to diagnose it. If you are correct in identifying an abnormality, you will obtain a symptom for later use.

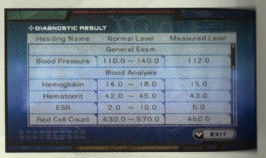


Visual Exam

The objective here is to find symptoms by observing the patient directly. As you move the pointer over the patient, it will change into a magnifying glass. Press the A Button to zoom in on the patient. From here, point at a suspicious area on the patient's body (discolorations, bruises, twitching, etc.) and press the A Button again. If you are correct in identifying an abnormality, you will obtain a symptom for later use.

Diagnostic

The results of various tests will be displayed here. You can point at a test's name and press the A Button to see what each test is searching for. Each category has a range of numbers that is considered "normal." If the result of the test is outside this range, point at it and press the A Button to confirm it as a symptom.



Symptoms Found

You can check the details on the symptoms you've found so far.

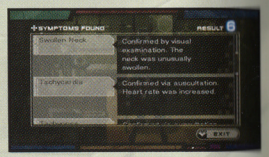
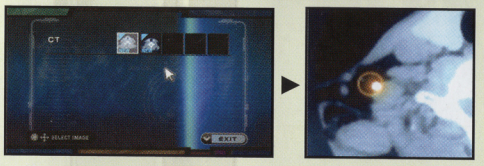


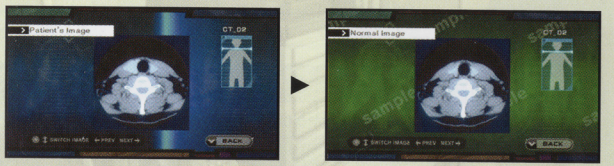
Image Analysis Lab

Point at the computer monitor and press the A Button to view images taken of the patient. To go back to the map screen, point at the door and press the A Button.

The images are initially displayed as thumbnails. Use the Control Stick or +Control Pad to select a thumbnail (or point at one) and press the A Button to take a closer look.



Compare the patient's image with that of a healthy person; to switch, tilt the Control Stick up/down. When you find an abnormality in the patient's image, point at it and press the A Button. If you are correct, you will obtain a symptom. Be aware that not all images will contain an abnormality.



Office

Point at RONI (the machine in the middle of the room) to make a diagnosis based on the symptoms you collected. You can consult with RONI by pointing at the TALK icon and pressing the A Button. To save your progress, point at the SAVE icon and press the A Button.

(NOTE: If the game autosaves at any point, such as after an operation, it will overwrite this save. To load this saved game, select the save file from the Load Data screen.)

On the left hand side of the diagnosis screen is a list of symptoms you have collected from the patient. The right is the list of diagnosis candidates; pointing at a candidate and pressing the A Button will display details about that disease. Read each disease's description to see if any of the symptoms described therein match any of the symptoms you have gathered. If you find a matching symptom, point to it on the symptom list and drag it into the disease description by holding the A Button to move it. If the match is correct, the corresponding details will become highlighted and the gauge below the candidate's name will partially fill. Once you have a candidate with a completely filled gauge, you can make a diagnosis.